

AUTOMOTIVE AIR CONDITIONER

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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A cooled air temperature detecting means 31 for
detecting the temperature of air (a post-evaporator
temperature T_e) that has just passed through a cooling
unit 5 (a refrigerant evaporator) is constituted by a
plurality of temperature thermistors for detecting air
temperatures for respective areas in the event that the
cooling unit 5 is divided into a plurality of areas.
When determining a control condition (ON/OFF condition)
of the refrigerant compressor based on the post-
evaporator temperature T_e , an air conditioner ECU 2
calculates and compares respective air temperatures
detected by the plurality of temperature thermistors and
processes a lowest air temperature as the post-evaporator
temperature T_e .